



**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Art Unit: 2155

Syvanne

Examiner: Ismail

Serial No. 10/032,881

Docket No. **KOL-024 (formerly BER-024)**

Filed: 10/19/2001

For: **HANDLING STATE INFORMATION IN A NETWORK ELEMENT CLUSTER**

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**Mail Stop AFTER FINAL**

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Va. 22313-1450

Date 2/22/06

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 9/23/2005, please amend the above identified case as follows.